

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

County of Kern,

Complainant,

vs.

Case 03-02-028

Union Pacific Railroad Company,

Defendant.

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING REMOVING PREHEARING
CONFERENCE FROM THE COMMISSION'S CALENDAR AND DIRECTING
PARTIES TO FILE STATUS REPORT**

On April 16, 2003, I issued a ruling setting the prehearing conference in this matter and ordering the parties to meet and confer. I have been informed by the complainant that the scheduled date is problematic, and both parties indicate that their meet and confer is an opportunity for them to attempt to prepare a jointly proposed schedule. The parties have also agreed to file and serve a status report after the meet and confer.

Therefore, the prehearing conference will be removed from the Commission's calendar and the parties are ordered to file and serve a written status report no later than May 22, 2003.

Dated May 1, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ MARIBETH A. BUSHEY

Maribeth A. Bushey

Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Removing Prehearing Conference From The Commission's Calendar And Directing Parties To File Status Report on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated May 1, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KRIS KELLER

Kris Keller

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